

## Message Text

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ACTION EA-14

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FM AMEMBASSY COTONOU

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5136

INFO AMEMBASSY SEOUL

AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

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AMEMBASSY OUAGADOUGOU

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: PFOR, DM, KS

SUBJ: ROK MISSION TO DAHOMEY

1. THREE MEMBER ROK MISSION LED BY FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER BEN LIMB, VISITED COTONOU MAY 9-12. ACCORDING TO PRESS, OTHER MEMBERS OF MISSION WERE " SONG AND KIM, RESPECTIVELY AMBASSADOR TO NETHERLANDS AND FIRST SECRETARY FROM ROK FOREIGN MINISTRY".

2. MAY 10 ISSUE OF DAHO- EXPRESS REPORTERS LIMB MADE FOLLOWING COMMENTS TO PRESS ON ARRIVAL:

( A) HAPPY TO BE IN DAHOMEY AND PLEASED WITH GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES.

( B) CARRYING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT PARK TO PRESIDENT KEREKOU.

( C) WHILE COOPERATION UP TO NOW LIMITED TO MEDICAL  
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ASSISTANCE, OPTIMISTIC IT CAN BE EXTENDED TO OTHER AREAS,  
PARTICULARLY CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC.

( D) RESULTS OF ROK- PRK DIALOGUE BEGUN IN JULY, 1972  
ENCOURAGING AND LEAD ONE TO BELIEVE REUNIFICATION OF TWO KOREAS  
NOT IMPOSSIBLE.

3. NEXT STOP IS OUAGADOUGOU. ANDERSON

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